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ACETABULAR IMPLANT AND METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF SAID IMPLANT

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Sir:

In response to the accompanying Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed August 3, 2006, we enclose herewith eleven partially executed declarations in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497.

The required 37 CFR 1.492(e) surcharge was paid at the time of filing the application.

The undersigned also petitions for a four-month extension of the time for filing this declaration until February 3, 2007 and requests that the extension fee of \$1,590.00 be charged to Deposit Account No. 25-0120.

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